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SUBJECT: NETHERLANDS: HR VETTING CENTCOM SOVEREIGN  
CHALLENGE TRAINING CONFERENCE

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¶1. The following individual has been selected to attend a CENTCOM Sovereign Challenge Training Conference 16-19 March 2009. Consistent with Leahy Amendment vetting requirements, there is no credible evidence of gross violations of human rights by this individual.

NAME - Colonel Hans Van der Louw  
DOB - August 12, 1958  
Gender Male  
POB - Amsterdam, The Netherlands

¶2. In accordance with reftel, Fast Track Vetting Procedures apply. Point of Contact for Leahy Vetting at U.S. Embassy The Hague is Denny Merideth 31 70 310 2346.  
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